

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

THE ADVOCATE.

HORSE AND TRACK.

There is evidence of renewed activity in all lines of business, the horse business included.

George Leavitt says he does not care whether George Wilkes has a dam or not. He needs no pedigree, for we all know what his offspring can do.

Says Scott McCay: "The fewer horses a man has, if they are good, the more he will make on them, and if they are not first-class he had better have none."

John Splan is famous for his common sense remarks in horse sense, as much so as for his skill as a rosemaster. Here is one of his truths: "A good big horse is better than a good little one."

A stallion that is not worth advertising is not worth breeding to, for it clearly goes to show that the man who owns him has lost all faith in him or he would let the public know just what he had.

The supply of horses in Kentucky has decreased \$5,000 within the last year. The other States have most likely done the same thing, therefore it is only a question of a short time when there will be a scarcity of horses in America.

Cavanaugh Bros.' last special sale in Boston was very successful. Fearless M., three-year-old record 2:40 by Motion, 2:29, brought \$340, the highest price for the date. Lady Stuart, by Daniel Lamont, was knocked down for \$225.

The largest sale of horseflesh for Sunnyside stables for some time was that of Mattie Murrill, sold to New York parties for \$2,200; Amber to Hall, of Adams House, Boston, for \$1,500; Brown Rolfe, full brother to Aubine 2:18, with a record of 2:33, sold in 2:26, to Samuel Carter, of Pine Grove Farm, Hallowell, for \$1,200.

There never was, and never will be a time when first-class horses would pay well for their raising. They are more in demand now at fancy prices than for several years. The majority of people have stopped raising them; the natural outcome of which will be an increase in prices. There never was a time when such a horse as Bean Bro's Knighthood stood for as low a service fee as \$10 to insure a live foal. He stands to-day without a rival in this section, when breeding, speed, size and other things that go to make a good stock horse, are taken into consideration.

A Peach.

Dr. Channey M. Depew, the famous post-prandial orator, has a favor of the perennial about him. He is studying the art of "How to Grow Old Gracefully." He thinks he has found the recipe. Anxious to share this discovery with his American friends, he takes a press representative into his confidence and thus unobtrusively himself:

"Join in the children's games, be a partner in the dance, romp the fastest and turn the quickest in the Virginia reel or the country dance; go up to the old college and sit down and light your pipe and sing college songs; take the children to the theater and howl with them at the roaring farce, and laugh with them at the comedy and cry with them at the tragedy; be their confidant in their love affairs, and, if they are not equal to it, write their love letters, and never stop writing some for yourself!"

Very good, Channey! However one may doubt the efficacy of your beautiful recipe, one can not question the delightful sentiment at the base of it. If you practice what you preach the Bowers boys rightfully dubbed you "a peach."—Exchange.

China's the Place Now.

Young man, go to China! That is the advice that is prompted by the awakening there occasioned by the treaty of peace. It has the anticipated result, China will become a glorious place for young, bright men, engineers, miners and railroad promoters. It will be a country, almost the largest on earth, suddenly opened to the world, demanding the substantial things of civilization.—Boston Herald.

In a duel between jealous rivals for the hand of a Mexican signora, one man was killed and the other badly injured.

BITING

Was Stewart's Sarcasm

In His Letter to President Cleveland.

Congratulating Him For His Efforts

In Placing His Foreign as Well as Financial Policy

Under the Wise Management of Her Majesty.

A BREEZY SCREED.

Sen. Stewart, of Nevada, last week addressed to the President an open letter that deals with current questions in a breezy and Western fashion. The following is the full text of the letter:

MR. PRESIDENT: When I last wrote you I did not suppose that I should be called upon so soon to renew my congratulations for your conspicuous bravery in promoting the policy of the mother country. I did not then realize that your beneficent policy extended beyond the extermination of obnoxious blinnetlists and laborers who oppose your "sound money and safe currency."

But it now appears that your wise and patriotic statesmanship is not confined to the limits of sound British financial policy for the people of the United States, but includes your cordial co-operation in the policy of conquest and dominion for the mother country. The joint success of yourself and Lord Kimberly in planting the British flag and extending British rule over Nicaragua is admired and applauded by every loyal subject of the Queen, and will secure for you the love and respect of all the Englishmen. Your great and magnanimous nature will not be disturbed by the unbecoming complaints of any of your own countrymen who continue to cling to the narrow and unreasonable prejudices which the descendants of the rebels of 1776 still entertain against that great and good Government which is still willing to protect us, notwithstanding the ill will and ingratitude of our deluded ancestors. Your exalted position enables you to see the great advantage of a

COINAGE OF BRITISH NAVAL STATIONS

Guarding our exposed seaports on the two oceans, and the great security and commercial advantages of the Nicaragua Canal will afford the British jurisdiction. Your clear vision spans the continent and extends to the far off plains of the Pacific, and you fully comprehend the complete protection that the navy of Great Britain, with headquarters at Honolulu, would be to the Pacific Coast. The people of the United States will view with much satisfaction the preparations which you and Lord Kimberly are making to present the claims of the British and American subjects, who in the interest of the mother country conspired to overthrow the Republican Government of Hawaii. The fact that the conspirators were unsuccessful aggravates the crime of the republic maintaining its constitutional Government and furnishes you and Lord Kimberly ample justification for demanding impossible reparation to make an excuse for planting the British rule over the only remaining outpost in the Pacific where a military establishment by an unfriendly power would menace the commerce of the United States.

"In carrying out this patriotic project you will undoubtedly exercise the same economy that you did in Nicaragua and avail yourself of the kindness of Great Britain to furnish the ships for the expedition, which will capture the coveted prize. The object lesson of your broad and comprehensive statesmanship is already instructive. When you have fully secured the protection of England for our extended sea coast of both oceans and the construction of the Nicaragua canal at the expense of the United States for the benefit of Great Britain your economy will be appreciated. When

the trouble and expense created by the unjustifiable wars and contentions of your predecessors against our mother country are compared with your wise and conciliatory policy the ingratitude of the American people will

SHOCK THE SENSIBILITIES

Of all loyal subjects of the British crown, and they will fully appreciate the wisdom and patriotism of your Administration. The union of interests which you have secured between Great Britain and her once rebellious colonies shows the folly of an expensive foreign policy in dealing with the mother country when all our material interests can be so well protected by her own generous imperial power. Although the policy of relying on British statesmanship is not new, you have enlarged, illustrated and carried into effect that policy in such a manner as to make the American people realize that the sovereign power to coin money and maintain a financial policy of our own is inconsistent with that brotherly love and cordial submission which we owe that country that gave birth to our ancestors, and to whose fostering care we are indebted for life, with such liberty as the mother country will generously bestow.

"Thrice your predecessors sent delegates to British International Conferences to consult and receive instructions as to what financial legislation the United States might adopt without interfering with the commercial supremacy of Great Britain, and thrice our delegates have been induced to legislate as to enhance the holdings of British creditors by limiting the supply of money of our mate payment to gold alone. Your bold and vigorous action in carrying into effect the instructions which our delegates received from the mother country establishes beyond controversy your courage and your fidelity to our benefactors on the other side of the Atlantic. The miserable suggestion that your policy is dictated by a London syndicate of money changers is fully answered by the fact that the people of England are subject to the same dictation, and that what is good enough for Englishmen must be good enough for their unworthy descendants on this side of the Atlantic. There is great promise for a glorious future for the United States in what you have already accomplished in

SECURING BRITISH PROTECTION

Against all foreign powers, particularly against the powerful and hostile Republics of Mexico and South America, and also in securing her Majesty's management and control of our domestic financial policy. In times past our tariff legislation has created quite as much injurious and unnatural friction between the mother country and ourselves as our financial legislation did before you induced England to resume her ancient and rightful jurisdiction in that respect. May we indulge the hope that your fidelity to the British Crown has secured you such influence as will enable you to induce the mother country to take charge of and regulate our commercial relations in such a manner as will remove all the unpleasant and unnatural disagreements between the two countries with regard to tariff legislation.

Why should England be more unwilling to regulate our customs dues than to manage our foreign relations and control our financial policy? You have made great progress in re-establishing the "statu quo" which existed prior to the rash and unreasonable conduct of our ancestors in 1776, and in abrogating the unnatural restrictions found in that instrument of insubordination known as the constitution of the United States. The folly of the provisions in that instrument, inaugurating an independent financial policy, is no more apparent than the wicked and absurd provision authorizing duties on imports. Your success in eliminating from the constitution the insolent assumption of an independent financial policy for the United States inspires a reasonable hope that you may be able in the near future not only to render absolute that other preposterous assumption found in the pretended authority in the afore said insubordinate instrument to raise revenues by duties on imports, but also to remove every other unnatural obstruction to the

LIGHTHOUSE AUTHORITY OF GREAT BRITAIN

To manage and control our domestic affairs from the same magnanimous and disinterested motives that the now managers and controllers our foreign affairs. The people of those misguided colonies look to you and my

alone, for deliverance from all the calamities resulting from the misconduct of our rebellious ancestors, by requiring of us only such acts of penitence and submission as will heal the wounds, remove the animosities, and restore the cordial relations which once existed and still ought to exist between people of the same blood and lineage. Do not be discouraged by the "crazy clamor" of unlikable "cranks" for an independent financial policy, or an independent foreign policy for the United States, but continue to regard such unreasonable contentions as resulting from narrow prejudice, engendered by such rebels, fanatics and Anarchists as Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Jackson, Lincoln and their deluded followers. Cease to be astonished at the unreasonable opposition of the Senate to your beneficent policy and continue to treat with contempt the vile insinuations of improper motives in discounting bonds to the Reichshilds to secure protection and prosperity for our beloved country. Keep an eye single the glory and renown and the imperishable name you will leave to posterity by achieving a union of 125,000,000 of English speaking people under the benign and unselfish rule of the British Crown.

Yours Respectfully,
WM. M. STEWART.

COLLECTOR'S SALE

For School Taxes of District

No. 1—Public Graded School

Of Mt. Sterling, Ky., For the

Year 1893.

I will on

MONDAY, MAY 20, 1895,

It being County Court Day, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., at the Court House door, in Mt. Sterling, Montgomery county, Ky., expose to public sale to the highest bidder, the following property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the taxes of the following named parties for the year 1893, to-wit:

Mrs. F. W. Bassett, house and lot situated in Mt. Sterling, Montgomery county, Ky., on Clay street, and bounded on the south by Clay street, west by John C. Thomas and east by Trimble Bros., north by T. G. Deaton.

Dennis McMahon, one house and lot on Elm street, Mt. Sterling, Montgomery county, Ky., and bounded on the west by Elm street, north by Mrs. Joe Branner, south by Miss Mary A. Smith, east by Thos. Whitte.

R. A. Mitchell, one house and lot on Main street, Mt. Sterling, Montgomery county, Ky., and bounded on the east by H. Jones, Jr., north by Main street, west by Jennie Samuels and Brooks Hatfield, south by Locust street and Mrs. Louis Berry; also one stable and lot on Main street, Mt. Sterling, Montgomery county, Ky., and bounded on the east by Strawberry or Wilson Alley, north by Thompson heirs and George Hall, west by C. Tooney, north by Main street.

JAMES GROVES,

Tax Collector for School District No. 1.

Low Rates to Washington, D. C.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway will sell round trip tickets to Washington on May 7th and 8th at one fare for round trip, good 15 days. Persons desiring to stay longer can have their tickets extended 15 days or more by depositing them with ticket agent of terminal line in Washington.

The Chesapeake and Ohio Railway is the only line with through train service from Lexington and Blue Grass cities to Washington. Don't be misled into taking other routes, necessitating changes of depots and trains. Through sleepers can be secured on written or telegraphic advice to the undersigned. Two fast trains, daily, leaving Lexington at 11:40 and 7 p. m. and arriving at Washington at 6:50 a. m. and 2:40 p. m. next day. Tickets will be sold by agents of all connecting agents.

Geo. W. BARNEY,
Dist. Pass. Agent,
Lexington, Ky.

Fresh Milk Cows.

I have for sale two half jersey cows one fresh in milk now, and one will be fresh in a few days. Both extra good milkers.
D. L. SMITH.

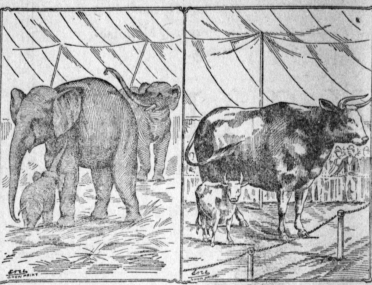
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THE GREAT Wallace Shows!

MT. STERLING KY. FRIDAY, MAY 17, 1895

THE GREATEST, LARGEST, GRANDDEST AND BEST OF AMERICA AMUSEMENT ENTERPRISES.

Finest Horses and Greatest array of Circus Talent of any show on earth.



NO WONDER IT IS GREAT! A Ring: 8 Stages: 1-2 Mile Track; Colossal Circus: 25,000 seats; 1,500 Employees; \$4,000 Daily Expense; 100 Professional Artists; 100 Musical Instruments; 25 Clowns; 8 Bands; 100 Open Bus; Herd of Elephants; Drive of Camels; World's Renowned Performers; Every Great Act Known.

* Capital - 3,000,000.*

EXCURSIONS WILL BE RUN ON every line of travel to enable visitors from a distance to attend the exhibitions. Trains will arrive in time to witness the monster, majestic, spectacular, grand, free.

* Street Parade, One Mile Long.*

50 FREE EXHIBITIONS DAILY... Experienced Operators in attendance. They are constantly on the watch to protect the public from the operations of gamblers and swindlers.

REMEMBER THE DATE.



Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury. As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good they can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, contains no mercury, and is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney. Testimonials free.

* Sold by Druggist, price 75c. per bottle 39-2c.

Tea For The Chinese Emperor. The tea used in the immediate household of the Emperor of China is, treated with the utmost care. It is raised in a garden surrounded by a wall so that neither man nor beast can get anywhere near the plants. At the time of harvest those selecting these leaves must abstain from eating fish so that their breath may not spoil the aroma of the tea; they must bathe three times a day and, in addition to all these precautions, they must wear gloves while picking the tea for the Chinese Court.

A Ship For A Monument. The most remarkable monument that has ever been erected over a grave in the United States or in any other civilized country, perhaps is the reproduction of an old-time whaling vessel, which is to be seen in one of the Boston cemeteries. It is a fine specimen of the ship-builder's art, finished in iron and clad in marble, and marks the last resting place of a departed sea captain.

Specimen Cases. S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis. was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism, his Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and his leg was sound and well. John Specker, Catawba, O., had five large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle of Electric Bitters and one box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him entirely. Sold by W. S. Lloyd's drug store.

ABSOLUTELY PURE THE OLD RELIABLE SWEET CAPORAL CIGARETTE Has stood the Test of Time MORE SOLD THAN ALL OTHER BRANDS COMBINED

This is the time of the year when Horses and Cattle need a good tonic, condition powder, to tone them up. For this purpose

Standard Horse and Cattle Powder

IS THE BEST.

1 lb. Boxes 20c.
7 lb. Boxes \$1.25.
25 lb. Boxes \$3.
Sold only by
THOS. KENNEDY,
Druggist.



HEART DISEASE!

Fluttering, No Appetite, Could Not Sleep, Wind on Stomach.

"For a long time I had a terrible pain at my heart, which fluttered almost incessantly. I had no appetite and could not sleep. I would be compelled to sit up in bed and belch gas from my stomach until I thought that every minute would be my last. There was a feeling of oppression about my heart, and I was afraid to draw a full breath. I could not sweep a room without resting. My husband induced me to try

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure and am happy to say it has cured me. I now have a splendid appetite and sleep well. Its effect was truly marvelous."

MRS. HARRY E. STARR, Potomac, Pa.
Dr. Miles Heart Cure is sold on a positive guarantee that the medicine will cure all heart troubles in 14, 6 bottles for \$5, or 25 bottles for \$25. Sent by mail to the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Struck by Lightning.

Trav. Bourne, a negro man, about 50 years of age, was at work for Mr. Richard Wilson on his place near town, on Wednesday, when a thunder-storm broke over the field. The hands that were with Bourne sought shelter in a barn, while he took refuge under a white oak tree. In a few minutes one of his companions saw lightning strike the tree and the old man fall. He called to Mr. Wilson, who ran through the rain and dragged the poor negro some fifty yards into the open field. It was found that Bourne, who was leaning against the tree, was burned over a spot about the size of the palm of a man's hand just where his shoulder came in contact with the tree and a streak down the body to the foot where the fluid entered the ground. At first he was supposed to be dead, but later he revived and may recover. His suffering was frightful when consciousness first returned and it was with difficulty he could be given him.

The wedding of Miss Sallie B. More and J. H. Huber is announced to take place at Fern Bank, O., during the first week of June. Miss More has made hosts of friends during her recent visit here, who will extend their best wishes. She is a sister of Mrs. Patton Griffiths and Mr. S. F. B. More, so well known in railroad circles. Mr. Huber is a son of the late J. H. Huber, cashier of the People's Bank, and is associated in business with Maury and Dodd architects.—Courier-Journal.

Miss More is a beautiful and accomplished young woman who has a wide acquaintance here during her frequent visits to her sister, Mrs. W. O. Chennault. Her many friends here, like those elsewhere, join in extending their best wishes.

There was a suit in the Circuit Court last week of Mr. Bailey, against the Ovingville & Mt. Sterling Turnpike Company. Mr. Bailey claims that his uncle subscribed and paid in \$1,500 for stock 38 years ago and the suit was for the stock and dividends on same. The books of the company bear no record of the stock. He won his suit.

There is talk of the city opening a public park. This is a much needed enterprise and would in the course of a few years, more than repay the city for its trouble and expense. City Dads give this your attention.

The Montgomery Gun Club will give its first shoot of the season next Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock at Woodford's Park. All of the members are requested to be present.

At Winchester a case of small-pox has been discovered in the jail. A post house is being erected in connection with the jail and steps taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

Capt. T. C. Pearce, of the United States Fish Commission, has sent 1,000,000 pike perch to Lexington to be placed in the water-work reservoir, better known as Lake Ellisville.

Mr. J. W. Ratliff, who was taken quite ill on his way home one day last week, we are glad to say is very much improved.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Jas. Ross, of Lexington, spent Sunday in the city.

Dr. J. M. Carter, of Farmers, was in the city last Friday.

Capt. Thomas and wife, of Paris, were in the city yesterday.

Mr. Sam Ratliff, of near Stephenson, was in the city last week.

Mr. Tankley, of Lexington, spent Sunday in the city with friends.

Millard Hainline is quite sick at his home in this city with pneumonia.

Mrs. John R. Triplett, of Sharpburg, was in the city last Friday.

John McKee, of Lexington, is the guest of Jas. King on Mayville street.

Mrs. C. A. Reed, who has been quite sick for the past two weeks, is improving.

J. W. Hodson, of the ADVOCATE, returned Sunday from a business trip to Louisville.

Andrew ("Budge") Tomelson, of Bourbon county, was in the city Friday on business. (2)

Miss Maggie Cabens, of Lexington, is visiting her brother, Mr. John Cabens, on Queen street.

Mrs. O. S. Bond and son, Walter, of Toledo, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Bond's niece, Mrs. A. J. Arrick.

Mrs. Pat Looney, of Lexington, spent Sunday in the city with her daughter Mrs. John Feehan.

Mr. J. Q. Stevens is in Clinchburg having his eyes treated. He was accompanied by his son, William.

J. G. Trimble left Wednesday on a business trip to Memphis. He will return the latter part of the week.

Miss Maggie Kelly left Sunday evening on a visit to her brother, Mr. Mike Kelly, of San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. Malcolm Thompson, of Scott county, was in the city last week visiting her son, Dr. W. H. Thompson.

Mrs. J. Lawrence White has returned from Baltimore, where she has been under the treatment of a specialist.

Mrs. Wilkerson, of Winchester, widow of the late Dr. Thomas Wilkerson, of Kiddleville, is in the city on business this week.

Dr. J. W. Davis, of Bethel, left yesterday for Baltimore to attend the National Medical Association, which meets in that city this week.

Mrs. Ida Hopkins, of Salt Lick, and daughter, Miss Lillie, who is attending school in Lexington, visited relatives in the city from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. E. G. Morrow, of Memphis, Tenn., President of the Memphis Furture Manufacturing Company, is in the city visiting the family of Col. Thos. Turner.

Mr. John M. Kelly, of Lexington, one of our ex-townsmen, was in the city last week, and made us glad by calling at our office and informing us that the ADVOCATE was needed at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop Clay, of Lexington, came up Saturday to visit Mrs. Margaret C. Chennault. Mr. Clay returned to Lexington yesterday.

Mrs. Clay will spend a fortnight or more among friends and relatives in the country.

Mrs. J. S. Herriott and little daughter, Christine, came on Saturday to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Wells in the city. Mr. Herriott accompanied his wife and child, but returned home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Herriott will spend some weeks with her father, Mr. Joseph Herriott near Side View.

Misses Elizabeth Spears and Bessie Woodford, two charming young ladies of Paris, who are visiting their cousin, Miss Margaret Woodford at her beautiful home near this city, will leave for home to-morrow.

No young ladies who visit our community, are more popular than Misses Spears and Woodford and our young men have been quite lavish in attention to them.

Mr. Charles Peters and family, formerly of Mt. Sterling, and brother of the Rev. Roger H. Peters, have moved to Lexington and have taken board with Miss May Woodfolk, on East High street.

Mr. Peters has formed a partnership in the life insurance business located here.—Lexington Transcript.

Of course you will not forget your own Birthday Party, given by the Southern Presbyterian Church, at Woman's Exchange, on the evening of the 15th.

The Only

Great and thoroughly reliable building-up medicine, nerve tonic, vitalizer and

Blood Purifier

Before the people today, and which stands preeminently above all other medicines, is

HOOD'S Sarsaparilla

It has won its hold upon the hearts of the people by its own absolute intrinsic merit. It is not what we say, but what Hood's Sarsaparilla does that tells the story:—

Hood's Cures

Even when all other preparations and prescriptions fail.

"I was taken with a pain in my right side which ran down into my limbs and my ankles swollen and broke out in running sores in seven different places. Since I have used Hood's Sarsaparilla the sores have healed and I have gained fifteen pounds in weight."

JOSE HARRIS, Prestonburg, Ky.

Get HOOD'S

Hood's Pills are tasteless, mild, effective. All druggists.

For the ADVOCATE. MACHPELAH.

How quiet here! The dead low soliloquy, And God and Nature hum their whim, Of saving the chirp, and sometimes noisy mood Of falling birds, no sound disturbs their dream.

Even the thoughtless child, when wand'ring here, And youth and gabbling maidens show More thoughtful faces, and in some we reverse Its sorceries, and talk in whispers low.

Yet some of these once loved the sound of mirth! The chatter reveals—though the dance's merriment, And some, perchance, the best things of earth, Each morning of his will their several ways.

Which device how so ever, straight, they use And all conveyed here on this grassy knoll, An many a sweet and goodly thought might this shade.

One drew a breath and used its eyes at birth, And gazed the longest of allotted years, And at the last became a willing guest Of grave-keepers, the seal of time and tears.

And as, what e'er his rank or place or sphere In life, in death no high or low degree's known, For rest and rest alone are equal here. The same respect to this and that one shown.

—J. N. FARRIS.

Parson Arrick, of the Assembly's Presbyterian church, is having trouble keeping the officers of his church straight on the matter of immersion.

Only last week we told how Mr. Chiles, an elder of his congregation, not satisfied with his baptism, took a header in Raburn's pond, and this week another, deacon Silas Stofer, follows suit by trying the depth of the water of Hinkley.

Brother Arrick, we fear is neglecting to properly instruct his flock along this line. It may be said Deacon Stofer did not any the more willingly take his immersion than did Elder Chiles.

The good deacon had ridden his horse to water just under the somewhat notorious Coal Road trestle and did not notice the approach of the train till the engine gave one of its unearthly screeches just above his head.

The horse was startled—so was the deacon when he picked himself up out of the middle of the creek. We are glad to say he is able to walk around, even if he cannot sit down in comfort.

Whisky in the Churches.

The Baptist Church at Harrodsburg has taken action against its members dealing in spirituous liquors and it was decided that full fellowship should not be granted to members engaged in the traffic. One year is allowed those members already engaged in the whisky business to find other means of making a living.

Buy your Screen Doors, Screen Windows, Water Coolers, Ice Cream Freezers, Gasoline Stoves From

ED. MITCHELL, The Hardware Man.

Do you want Gutting, Roofing or Pumps. Go to

MICHAEL LAUGHLIN, Laughlin's old stand

41-2t \$50,000 to loan at 6 per cent. for 5 years.

39-2t A. HOFFMAN, Agt.

Moving the hands back and forth revolves the whips. Works anywhere in any kind of vessel. Sifts Batter, Spoons Gravy, Sauce, etc. Creams Potatoes, Fruit, Berries, etc. Whips Icings, Custards, Creams, Gellins, Charlotte Russe, Meringues, Kisses, Mayonnaise Dressing, etc. Lettuce, Eggs, Lady Fingers, Angel Cake, etc., etc. Brings the most difficult work within reach of all, and whips so much lighter than can be done in any other way that one-third of the material is saved, requiring but one-tenth the usual time.

CALL FOR ONE AND TAKE IT ON TRIAL.

Stoneware, Filters, Refrigerators, Water Coolers, Peerless and Gem Ice Cream Freezers, Which are considered the best.

The nicest and prettiest line of HAMMOCKS Ever brought to this city.

The Jewell Process Gasoline Stoves!

Eleven of these stoves were sold by us last season, and they were considered by all to be the best and gave the best of satisfaction. We have a COAL OIL STOVE with Oven that should be in every house for light cooking.

We would be glad to have you call and see our line of goods and get our prices, even if you do not care to make a purchase at the present.

W. W. REED, Opera House Building, Mt. Sterling, - Kentucky.

CHAPPELEAR'S

BRONCHINI

THE GREAT COUGH CURE

LARGE BOTTLES 50 CTS. SMALL SIZE 25 CTS.

For sale by **THOS. KENNEDY, Druggist,** EAST MAIN STREET, - MT. STERLING, KY.

For Sale or Exchange. A fresh stock of staple and fancy groceries. Will sell for cash or exchange for desirable real, estate, and rent building for a term of years at a moderate price. Location central. A splendid opportunity for any one wishing to engage in business. Call on or address

ADAM BAUM & SON.
Hogs Wanted. We want to buy a lot of 50 pound shoats, and some sows with pigs.
ASA BEAN.

If it doesn't break me up before that time I will give five dollar framed carbons for two dollars to July 1st.
40-6t BRYAN.

For Sale. Fine thin sard row and pigs.
C. LAUTH.

For Rent. Rooms on first floor, near the business part of the city, and suitable for house-keeping. Apply to Mrs. W. S. Richart, 38 North Symcare street.
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I have a first-class corn and tobacco Fertilizer for sale and at prices to suit the times.
40-2t ED. MITCHELL.

To Our Friends and Patrons.

We have removed from our old place of business to just opposite on the other side of the street, where we will conduct as of old our Harness and Saddling business, as well as the Tinning business. Hoping that our past relations will merit your following us to our new quarters, and with the guarantee that we will do all in our power to please you, we remain, wishing you a happy and prosperous New Year,

OWEN LAUGHLIN & SON.

\$50,000

To Loan at 6 PER CENT For Five Years.

A. HOFFMAN, AGENT.

THE ADVOCATE.

In Communication With The

Planets Possible?

"Do men live in any planet but our own? Are they mentally and physically formed like ourselves? If such beings do exist, will it be possible to find communication with them across the millions of miles that separate us? These questions, so purely theoretical are of especial interest at the present time.

We find in our daily newspapers the following item: "The probate will of Madame Annie-Emilie-Clara Gorguet, widow of M. Mars Gorguet, deceased on the thirteenth of June, 1890 at Pau, No. 9 Montpencier street, contains the following clause:

"I bequeath to the Academy of Sciences of the Institute of France, 300,000 francs to establish a prize which will be called the Mars prize, to be given without exclusion of nationality to anyone who will find some way of communication with a star, I mean, that a signal shall be made to a star and an answer received therefrom. I exclude the moon, which appears to be sufficiently known.

"If the solution of this is not obtained in five years, the interest on this legacy will be allowed to accumulate during this time, and will form a prize to be bestowed in the name of my son, to any French or foreign savant who shall have made any real or valuable progress in the knowledge of the planets of our solar system, either in the relations of the planets to the earth or by means of improved instruments of physical science and optical instruments, or by any other method of inspection or investigation.

"If the prizes are not awarded at the end of ten years, the Academy shall have the right to give two prizes from the interest on the capital, in the name of my son and with the same conditions."

The Academy decided to accept the legacy, because, until the day that the prize is earned, it is authorized to recompense and aid physical astronomy and photometry with the interest. It had already accepted a legacy of 100,000 francs for the physician who shall find a remedy as efficacious for cholera as quinine is for intermittent fever. In the meantime the interest is available for any useful medical work undertaken in this direction. It had also accepted funds for a prize of 50,000 francs for the cure of diphtheria. The Pasteur Institute, according to the wish of the testator, receives annually the interest from this.

In order to communicate with the adjacent stars, the means pointed out some time ago by a savant given to chimeras might be attempted. If we construct a plane into geometrical figures like the inscription of a decaagon inside a circle, and if the moon or Mars answer by some corresponding form, we might infer the existence in those planets of thinking beings having geometrical tact. The dimensions necessary for such figures make it hardly reasonable to expect their production on the moon and less so on Mars or Venus. The problem can not, in the present state of science, be practically attacked.

M. Camille Flammarion, the learned astronomer who published two years ago a complete book on the planets Mars and its habitat conditions, gives us some valuable information. He has always been one of the most earnest defenders of the plurality of habitable worlds.

"This fortunate that the Academy accepted the legacy," said M. Flammarion, "for it would have gone to a scientific association in the United States. It is evident that communication with Mars is not at present a near possibility, but a hundred years ago who would not have considered prize for the inventor of a telephone as chimerical? Lenses a meter in thickness have been constructed, those of 1.50 m. will soon be constructed. This would have been thought impossible a century ago. The construction of optical glasses will be perfected. It has been ascertained that in Mars there are luminous points elevated about 10,000 meters above the surface of the planet. Those may be snowy peaks, or possibly signals. To answer these by geometrical figures, we should have to make them about the size of Sicily."

Incessant variations are observed in the seas, lakes and canals of Mars. It is a world one might expect to find essentially "like" us. With an atmosphere lighter than ours, having constituents of redish tints and seas of

nearly the same area of bluish tint. Mars appears as if it should be habitable like the earth, and by a race older than our own.

The problem of interstellar communication has been broached by Chas. Cross, an original thinker and ingenious inventor. According to his ideas, there is no reason for despairing of the near solution. Parabolic mirrors have, like lenses, the power of focusing light. The rays instead of being dispersed, are grouped in pencils and traverse space without being weakened except from the opacity of the traversed medium. This is according to theory, but is never wholly realized in practice. The pencils are always conical, but to what extent? This is a point in doubt.

M. Charles Cross suggests that such a pencil be reflected at the point where it is just a meter in diameter, a pure white surface. It is possible to give such an intensity to an electric lamp that this surface could be as well lighted as by a ray of sunlight. The pencil dilates afterwards in proportion as it advances into space. M. Cross admits that when it reaches the neighboring star, its diameter is twenty millions of meters and its intensity four hundred trillions times weaker than at the point where the white surface was interposed. We allow that the light with which the planet is found enveloped is very feeble, but it cannot be disregarded if it is properly observed. Just as the optical instrument prevents the dispersion of the rays at the departure, it can concentrate these rays on its arrival. In a telescope the rays scattered over the whole surface of the objective are concentrated in the focus. Neptune is visible through a glass of medium power, and yet the light that comes to the earth from it is more than two hundred trillions times weaker than a ray of sunlight, that is, only two times stronger than the light of the signal we have just imagined; this signal has then, he said, nothing chimerical in its idea.

We do not understand, however, why Cross fixes this conical basis of the pencil at only twenty millions of meters in diameter. Where this basis would be sufficient, he forces increasing numbers of lamps.

Pre-supposing that men have realized their project, Charles Cross decides upon the system of signals that it would be necessary to adopt, a very simple system of numeration utilizing all the possible arrangements of the signal: a single light, a double light, a triple light. This system would permit numbers to be sent to the planet, then through numbers forms, through some ideographic characters, and through these the exchange of the most complex ideas.

It is clear that this second problem is much more easy than the first which requires a whole series of chemical and technological discoveries. The problem of interstellar communication may be opened in an unexpected way and not through optics—Katherine Hager, in Popular Science News.

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Fulton Gordon Surprises His Wife

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FEARFUL AND BLOODY TRAGEDY

Tuesday, about noon, Fulton Gordon, of Louisville, shot and killed his wife, Mrs. Nellie Gordon, and Archibald Dixon Brown, oldest son and Private Secretary of his father, Gov. John Young Brown, in a negro dive on West Madison street, Louisville. It seems Brown and Mrs. Gordon came to the house of Lucy Smith about 11 o'clock and asked for a room. They were shown to a front room up stairs. In half an hour Gordon also came and wanted a room. He was given one just under the room that Brown and Mrs. Gordon occupied. The woman who had answered Gordon's ring, went back to her work and very soon heard nine pistol shots. The only living witness to that awful tragedy in that upper room is the murderer Gordon. He entered the room, shot Brown as he lay on the bed; Brown sprang up but fell to the floor, then arose and made for his pistol which lay on a dresser in the far part of the room. This Brown secured, but in the meantime he had been shot by Gordon some five or six times.

Brown managed to fire at Gordon once, but Gordon, who had emptied his pistol, grappled with the wounded man, wrenched his pistol from his hand, and fired a final shot that instantly killed Brown. Gordon then fired upon his wife, who ran from the room and down the steps to a back porch and fell dead upon the cellar door. Brown was clad in only his undershirts and socks and Mrs. Gordon had on only chemise and stockings. Gordon gave himself up and was committed to jail.

Brown was shot seven times and Mrs. Gordon once. Gordon was untouched, though he was utterly prostrated after the butchery. He faintly a number of times at the mere mention of the affair.

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James Young shot and killed his wife five miles from Brazil, Indiana, Tuesday and then returning to Brazil killed himself.

Democrats of the Missouri Legislature have inaugurated a move for calling a State convention to consider the silver question.

The widowed Duchess of Marlborough, once Mrs. Louis Hamersley, of New York, was Tuesday married in London to Lord William Beresford.

James B. Gordon, an alleged newspaper correspondent, was arrested Tuesday at Nashville on confessed charges of forgery, bigamy and libel.

Two war correspondents who were forcibly detained in the Pescadore Islands that they might not send dispatches of the massacre of the Chinese garrison, will be rescued by a British war ship.

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Price McGuire, the only witness to the lynching of Edward Traugher at Adairville, Ky., for which five men were sent indicted, after one trial by a jury which failed to agree, died of consumption Tuesday in the jail at Bowling Green, where he was being held as a witness.

A wagon containing 720 quarts of nitro-glycerine on its way from Bluffton, Ind., to the Montpelier oil fields, was overturned on Thursday. In the explosion that followed, horses, driver and wagon were blown to shreds. A hole fifteen feet deep and sixty feet across was opened in the ground, large oak trees uprooted and carried 500 feet while window glass was broken in houses for miles around.

The British have landed a force of 400 Blue Jackets at Corinto, Nicaragua to compel the payment of \$75,000 indemnity, claimed for the expulsion of Consul Hatch, who was charged by the Nicaraguan Government with being a party to a conspiracy to defy Nicaraguan authority. The authorities, as well as all native citizens, vacated the city and left the British in possession. The Nicaraguan Government further complicated matters by closing Corinto as a port of entry, so that the British could not collect any revenue. The news has created a very considerable stir at Washington, lest the little tempest in a tea-pot may involve the United States in a quarrel with Great Britain.

Darius Conyers and William Wilson participated in a deadly encounter near Moorefield, on last Saturday, which resulted fatally to Conyers. It seems that Conyers accused Wilson of having said he (Conyers) had stolen some corn from Wilson, which Wilson denied, but asked Conyers if he had said it what would he do about it, whereupon some angry epithets were passed. Both men drew their pistols at the same time and when the smoke cleared away it was found that Conyers had been shot four times, while Wilson had received one shot in the side. After they had emptied their pistols, Wilson mounted his horse and rode away, leaving Conyers lying on the pike in a dying condition. He was carried home by some friends, where he expired about 3 o'clock Monday evening. He leaves a wife and six children in a precarious condition. Wilson has been arrested.

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DR. WILLIAMS.

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By order of the Committee, the delegates will be chosen by mass meetings at the county seats at 2 o'clock p. m., Saturday, June 1st, and the general convention will be held at Winchester, Friday, June 7th at 1 o'clock p. m. Each county will be entitled to one vote for every two hundred Democratic votes and one additional vote for a fraction over one hundred cast in November, 1892.

SKETCH OF HIS LIFE.

Dr. Lucius P. Vannert Williams, of Morehead, Ky., was born in Johnson county, Ky., April 11, 1862. He was the youngest son of Lucius P. and Elizabeth Williams. His father entered the Confederate Army in the fall of 1861, joining Co. K., 5th Kentucky Infantry, Capt. Blevins. General John S. Williams (Corno Gordo) was his Colonel. The regiment was attached to General Humphrey Marshall's Brigade. He saw fighting in several battles, among them Middle Creek, but died in the service in 1862. To the wife and nine small children left to fight the unequal battle against the world he left nothing of his world's goods. He had gone into the service, and for what he believed the right, he gave his all. With him went his oldest son, Albert, who entered the same Company with his father—saw service till the end of the war, only coming home to die of that fearful disease—consumption, which he had contracted while on the field. Thus it will be seen that the Doctor gave to the "Lost Cause" a father and a brother.

The mother with nine little ones, the oldest a girl of 16 years, was left to fight her way with grim poverty. To add to this her health was anything but robust. Nothing daunted this good woman and took up the burden and as best she could, and by means of her needle, coupled with her wise counsel to guide and direct, the children, managed to provide a scanty living and keep grim hunger from the door. When the subject of this sketch was eleven years old the mother laid down the burden of life and left her children to fight the battle alone. But not in vain had her wise counsel these ten years of widowhood. She had not only wisely planned, but wisely trained those committed to her care. The elder children determined to keep all the family together and do for them the best that might be done. To the boys in the Blue Grass, the hardships endured and the struggle carried on against bitterest poverty in the boyhood and youth of Dr. Williams, would lead like a romance's production. His love of study induced him to gather the pine knots for light that he might see to read till far into the night. The days must be filled with hard work in order to bring from the unwilling soil enough to eat. When he could be spared to attend school in the warm weather he went barefoot. When the cold came on (his brothers

and sisters too poor to buy shoes for him) they would wrap his feet in old rags till he got near the school house then he would take them off and hide the wretched coverings under a log, and in a run make the school-room door over the frozen or snowy ground. Even after such efforts to attend school the instruction was of a very indifferent sort. It was a happy day to young Williams when he could earn enough money to buy him a single pair of shoes to last him through the very cold weather. The boy passed up into early manhood, working when he must and studying when he could. When he reached nineteen he secured a certificate to teach in the common schools of his section. He thus managed to obtain money sufficient to attend a normal school where by diligent application he further prepared himself for the duties of life. He had now got to discharging his duty managed to gain a foothold in the world and soon after married Miss Sarah Woolcom, herself the daughter of an ex-Confederate soldier. Bravely the young couple faced the world. Young Williams continued to teach school and "tend his crops" as well; often using the moonlight to "work" and "cut" his corn.

When Dr. Williams had reached the age of 26 he had saved by dint of industry and economy and the help of his good wife, enough money to attend medical lectures, which he did in 1888 and 1889 at the Kentucky School of Medicine in Louisville, graduating with honor and carrying off one of the "gold medals." After securing his diploma Dr. Williams located at Morehead where he has continued the practice of his profession. In 1890 his people demanded of him that he should represent them in the Constitutional Convention and he attended the sessions of that body as a delegate. Term of service in the convention, though his first in any deliberative body, reflected credit on myself and at its close he received the warm commendation of his friends.

Dr. Williams was born of Democratic parentage on both sides of the house. The principles of the party were born and bred in him and he could not be other than a consistent and devoted Democrat, if he would. He has, since he has reached his majority, been an active worker for the party and counts nothing a sacrifice that will promote its interest and advance its principles.

THE STAR SPANGLED BANNER.

Steps Being Taken to Raise Funds for the Erection of a Monument to the Memory of its Author.

Governor Frank Brown, of Maryland, has mailed the following official communication to each of the other Governors of the United States: "Permit me to call the attention of the schools and patriotic citizens of your State to flag day, June 14, 1818, anniversary of our flag's adoption by Congress. "The national hymn, 'Star Spangled Banner,' is always sung at flag day exercises, which are now being generally held by the schools, but few yield its author the reverence his memory deserves.

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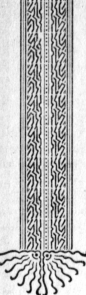
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Christian Endeavor Notes.

One person out of every eight in the almost thirty thousand population of York, Penn., is a Christian Endeavorer.—Golden Rule.

A number of the Junior Society of the Ashland Presbyterian Society, were graduated into the Senior Society recently, with an impressive ceremony. They were commended to the care of the Senior Society by their Superintendent, and received by the President of the Senior Society.

Rev. W. D. Rice, of Augusta, a prominent Christian Endeavorer, has been very ill with typhoid fever, but is much better and hopes to be able to fill his place on the program at the State Convention.

The following facts concerning the Convention, have been sent out by the President and Secretary of the State Union. Let every Endeavorer read them carefully:

Once more we desire to call your attention to the Great Annual Convention to be held in our beautiful city of Louisville, May 14-25-26, 1895.

Never before in the history of the Christian Endeavor movement in Kentucky has the progress been so great, the Endeavor enthusiasm so high and wide-spread and the work so earnest and active.

The Sixth Annual Convention will be a tidal wave of Endeavor enthusiasm. Let us place ourselves upon the topmost crest that we may see the power and glory of our King.

Every Endeavorer in the State of Kentucky is cordially invited and earnestly requested to attend the Convention. You are not required to bring any credential or certificate, other than your own good face and a desire to do good. The devoted Louisville Endeavorers will meet you at the city Railway Stations, steamboat landings and welcome you, take charge of you and entertain you during your stay in the city free of charge. Consider the matter, make up your mind to go and send your name at once to Miss Lucie B. Stewart, No. 1508 New Broadway, Louisville, Ky., Secretary of Entertainment Committee.

The music of the Convention will be one of its most important and inspiring features. Under the able and direction of Prof. H. W. Dohrmann, of Louisville, who it will be remembered was the musical director at the Kentucky Sunday School Convention of '94 at Russellville, this feature of the Convention will indeed be a great success.

Our State colors are Royal Purple and White. In your Society banners and badges, let these colors predominate, and come with badges displayed and banners unfurled.

Under the management of Dr. W. P. Banta, of Louisville, arrangements have been made to rail railroads in Kentucky for a rate of one fare for round trip to all persons attending the Convention, no certificates required. Tickets will be on sale at all rail stations in Kentucky May 23 and 24, good returning till May 27. See your railroad agent or write to Dr. W. P. Banta, Louisville, Ky., for full information, and leave your homes in time to reach Louisville Thursday afternoon or evening and attend the great preliminary meeting to be held Thursday evening.

It has always been the aim of the State Executive Committee to carry on the State work with as little expense as possible. No salaries are paid to any officers or workers. But there are necessary and unavoidable expenses for correspondence, advertising, etc., that cannot be dispensed and bills must be paid. In former years our State work has been greatly hindered from want of funds—let us have this difficulty to contend with in the future. A small contribution from every Society in the State will furnish ample funds to carry on the work. Will you kindly instruct your delegates to pledge the amount your Society is willing to give for the State work during the coming year?

This convention is intended to promote Godly living and Christian usefulness. If you come in a spirit of devoted, it will benefit you.

"Whoever ye shall ask in prayer believing, ye shall receive."

Mr. L. B. Ringold's two-year-old racer, Semper Igo, at Lexington last week made some good races, winning in one and three in another, in which he was leading early, but shying lost his stride and being near the string, did not have a chance to gain his loss.

He won the admiration of horsemen and without accident is destined to make a great winner. He is in Louisville this week and eyes are on him.

HORSE AND TRACK.

Arion's fee is now \$300; it was once \$2,500.

Robert J.'s dam, Geraldine, has foaled a bay colt by Chimes, 2:30.

Scott Quintin has arranged to campaign Lightning 2:11 by Alcantara.

A sister to Gazette, 2:09, was foaled recently at South Elkhorn Farm, Frankfort, Ky.

It is possible that some of the Palo Alto horses will go into Budd Doble's hands this season.

Hilda 2:08 by Guy Wilkes, still continues to go sound and has been a quarter in 35 seconds.

The report comes from California that horsesmen in Italy recently cable an offer of \$30,000 for Alif.

Lightning 2:11 is said to be in fine condition. She is being worked in six-ounce shoes and does not require the spreaders.

If reports are correct Ryland 2 (2:07) and Directum (2:05) will meet in a match race on July 3, at Galesburg, Ill.

Matt Laird writes that Rubinstein has all of his speed. He stepped him an eighth Monday for the first time this year, and he could fly.

Oro Wilkes has been bred to fourteen mares this spring. He will be campaigned in the east again, and Californians look for him to be one of the star performers.

James Gordon Bennett's stable of trotters, composed of Austral, Helen Leyburn and Grace Simmons, are now at Berlin, Germany, and will be started in races at an early date.

It is probable that Robert J. (2:01); John R. Gentry (2:03); Joe Patched (2:04); Online (2:04), and Hal Dillard (2:04) will come together at the Louisville, Ky., meeting.

The sale of the horses belonging to G. C. P. Cecil, of Danville, at Boston on the 24th of last month, was a successful one. Thirty-six head sold for \$10,000, an average of nearly \$278.

Ether, dam of Expressive 2:12; Express 2:21 and Elvina 2:27 has foaled a bay colt by Advertiser 2:15, at Palo Alto Farm. The youngster has been named Adviser, which is Spanish for Advertiser.

The Texas driver, W. Slimm, will have a good stable on the Grand Circuit line. Besides Dandy Jim 2:10; he has arranged to campaign Paola 2:25, brother to Palo Alto 2:08; Fleetfoot 2:12, and Princess 2:17.

The report comes from Europe that Grace Simmons 2:10, one of the mares recently purchased for James Gordon Bennett, was slightly injured on the journey from Genoa to Nice.

It is also reported that Mr. Bennett intends buying a few more trotters.

J. W. Paulson, a livery man at Palo Alto, Cal., secured a prize at one of the sales held at Palo Alto Stock Farm last year. He purchased a two-year-old son of Wildcat for \$70. The colt has recently shown quarters in 32 seconds, which led to his sale for \$1,300.

The Grey gelding Greyflight, 2:16, which was recently sold to a Liverpool gentleman, died shortly after his arrival in England. He arrived there in good condition, and was sent up to the Aintree track, near Liverpool. The weather was bad and he contracted pneumonia, from which he died. Greyflight was foaled in 1882, and was by Starlight, dam Young Daisy, by Strideaway.

There is another John R. Gentry in the country. Maxey R. by Ashland Wilkes, paced a couple of miles in 2:40 and 2:37, and the last quarter of the second mile in 32 seconds, last eight in 15 seconds. Whenever this fellow turns around for the world, it is just right, the pace that beats him will march a mile in 2:00.—Kansas City (Mo) Times.

At the sale of trotting bred carriage horses, at the American Horse Exchange in New York last Thursday, the geldings Phantom by Patronage, and Phyllis by Phallamont, brought \$1,750; a pair of geldings by Anteros brought \$1,250, and Marlowe, a six-year-old chestnut gelding by Earl McGregor, was bought by John Shepard, of Boston, Mass., for \$1,500.

The Kentucky University for the first time in its history has engaged a woman teacher. The faculty has secured as teacher in the academic department Mrs. A. R. Bourne, at present principal of the Madison Female Institute.

THE ARMY WORMS

Creating Havoc Among the Crops of Woodford.

VERSAILES, Ky., May 5.—The worms continue to do great damage to crops in Woodford and adjoining counties, and entire fields of hemp, corn, oats and clover have been destroyed.

W. H. Alexander, a prominent farmer living near Fort Springs, says that his son was out on the Lexington pike at 2 o'clock this morning and passed over a black spot in the road forty feet wide, that seemed to be moving.

The boy and his father got lanterns and returned to the spot and found the dust all mashed down, as if something had passed over it. Following the trail to a hemp field they found millions of black worms devouring the plants.

The field was almost devastated by six o'clock. Mr. Alexander says the worm is a species entirely new to this section, being neither the army nor cut worm. They travel in great bodies by night and do all the damage in the dark, disappearing into the ground as soon as the sun rises. The farmers in this section are very much wrought up over their appearance.

Cincinnati Live Stock Market.

Cincinnati, O., April 28.—Receipts—Hogs 1170 head; cattle 1353; sheep 88. Shipments—Hogs, 1022 head; cattle, 202; sheep none.

HOGS—Market active and strong to 5 cents higher. Butchers, \$5.00; \$5.05; packers, \$4.90 to \$5.00; good light, \$4.80 to \$4.95; common and rough, \$4.25 to \$4.80.

CATTLE—Market steady. Fair to good shippers, \$4.65 to \$5.00; choice butchers, \$4.75 to \$5.25; medium butchers, \$4.00 to \$4.70; extra, \$5.00 to \$5.75; common, \$2.75 to \$3.75.

SHEEP—Market steady on good lower on common. Extras, \$4.25; good to choice, \$3.50 to \$4.00; common to fair, \$1.75 to \$3.25.

VEAL CALVES—Market steady. Fair to good light, \$4.25 to \$5.00; extra \$5.50, common and large, 2.50 to 4.00.

LAMBS—Market steady. Extras, \$5.25; good to choice, \$4.50 to \$5.00; common to fair, \$3.00 to \$4.25; spring lambs, \$4.00 to \$5.50.

With a return of reasonable prosperity to agriculture the demand for wheels by the rural classes will soon exceed that of the cities, and sales reach proportions scarcely dreamed of now. Nowhere is the wheel more needed, both for pleasure and convenience, than on the farm. The farmer constantly wants to send to town for his mail or on light errands, and young people like to go; but during the season when farm work is progressing his horses have enough to do in the field, and they cannot be running to town; so he has to go without wheels—unless he gets a chance to go or send. The seasons of work on farm are the seasons of the bicycles, and with one on the farm the farm is immediately placed in touch with town, for the wheel and its rider will always be at his service, if the roads will permit. Country life is lonelier to young people. They like to visit and to go to town. The bicycle affords them the quickest and most enjoyable means; and when they can buy a good stout machine for a reasonable price they will do so if they have money or as soon as they can get it.—Farm Implement News.

Good-Bye Honey.

High prices are gone since Owen Laughlin & Son moved just across the street. They will sell you a pump cheaper, tin and iron roofing lower and guttering better put up, than any house in Eastern Kentucky.

They are Sole Agents for the celebrated Buckeye Force Pump. 41-21

Big Sale of Cattle.

The Richmond Register says the best sale of cattle reported in Madison county this season was made on Tuesday by Hon. John D. Harris, who sold 85 head of 1,450 pound export cattle to Simon Wild, agent for Goldschmidt, at 54 cents. The lot brought \$6,500 and will be shipped direct to the London market.

Five lives were lost by a powder explosion at South Hecton, Mass. Three of the mills of the American Powder Company blew up.

KNIGHTHOOD, 2.29 1-2.



(Fastest horse in the county.)

Sired by ABERDEEN.

(Sire of Kentucky Union 2:13, Alabama 2:15; 43 in 2:30 list.)

1st Dam Ophir, by Alamo 350.

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A VALUABLE RELIC

Discovery of a Bible Which Was Printed in 1535.

Eureka, Cal., May 3.—An old relic has been discovered in the form of a German Bible printed in the year 1535 in days of Luther, by Wendel Bibbel, of Strassburg. The work is illustrated throughout with scenes painted by hand in water colors. The orthography is a mixture of the Saxon dialect and the German of that age. It is in a wonderful state of preservation, but was re-bound about 200 years ago. The relic is the property of Geo. Kramer, who has already been offered \$1,000 for it.

Louisville Tobacco Market.

Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to 3,570 hids., with receipts for the same period 1,800 hids. Sales on our market since January 1 amount to 73,515 hids. Sales of the crop of 1894 on our market to this date amount to 76,569 hids.

Receipts and sales on our market this week have been smaller than for some time past. Prices have been fully sustained for good grades both bright and red. Common and medium grades in soft condition continue low.

The following quotations fairly represent our market for burley tobacco. (1894 crop.)

Trash. (dark or damaged tobacco) \$1.50 to \$2.75.

Common colory trash, \$3.00 to \$3.75. Medium to good colory trash, \$3.75 to \$5.50.

Common lugs, not colory, \$2.50 to \$4.00.

Common colory lugs, \$4.50 to \$5.50. Medium to good colory lugs, \$5.50 to \$8.50.

Common to medium leaf \$6.00 to \$10.00. Medium to good leaf, \$10 to \$15.00. Good to fine leaf, \$15 to \$18.

Select wrapper leaf, \$18 to \$25.00. GLOVER & DURETT.

Cut-Worms in Mercer.

The cut-worm has done much damage throughout this county. Mr. Tilford Curran, on the M. W. Curry farm, has had a field of oats almost entirely destroyed; and we have heard of a field of hemp that has been ruined and has to be plowed up for corn. In the Salvisa neighborhood they are reported as traveling from one farm to another and that the turnpike road was black with them. The army worms can be seen near the suburbs on Lexington road. They are legion.—Harrodsburg Sayings.

K. of P.

It is important that every member of Fidelity Lodge No. 50, K. of P. shall attend the meeting Thursday night (May 9). Business of the utmost importance will be before the meeting and it is urgently requested that every member attend.

A young people's society of the Baptist church was organized last Sunday afternoon.

Ladies' gloves cut any size and of regular glove leather, at Joe Conroy's harness store, North Mayville St.

Settles Bros. bought of George McCormick a lot on College street for \$350.

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EAST KAIN STREET.

Upon receipt of orders from London, Rear Admiral Stephenson, commanding the British squadron at Corinto, evacuated that city and the dispute between Great Britain and Nicaragua is thus practically ended.

A terrible cyclone swept over portions of Iowa, South Dakota and Minnesota Friday. Iowa suffered worst, the list of dead and injured is a large one.

The U. S. Government is said to have guaranteed the payment of \$15,000 by Nicaragua to Great Britain. The blockade of Corinto was raised and the English troops withdrawn.

Fire burned the lake steamer N. E. Fairbanks, com laden, to the water's edge near Port Colborne, Ont. The vessel and cargo were worth \$60,000. No lives were lost.

It is reported that John R. McLean, of the Cincinnati Enquirer has bought the New York Morning Journal.

Johnson's Oriental Soap imparts a delicate color and leaves the skin soft and velvety. Try it and you will never use any other.

Wanted.

A trotting bred pacing filly 3-years-old to train on the shares one half for the other. Will return same free of expense within forty days if not worth training. Have driven two 3-year-old pacers in 2:30 and 2:22 respectively.

W. E. BEAN, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

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Map of Virginia Battle Fields.

The only correct map made from official papers in the War Department with complete list of battles. Sent on receipt of 25 cents in money or in postage stamps. Address C. B. Ryan, Asst. Gen'l Pass' Agent, C. & O. R'y, Cincinnati, Ohio. 41-61.

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Very True, but it KILLS ALL PAIN. Sold Everywhere, Every Day—Without Relief, There is No Pain.

Woodward & Gibson, Lexington, Ky., bought a 4-year-old gelding of John Berry, of this county, for \$250, they sold him at Philadelphia last week at public sale for \$500. This gelding is by Bean Bros. fine trotting stallion, Knighthood, 2:29, which is standing this season at the very low fee of \$10 to insure a live foal. Men should take advantage of this opportunity.

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